

# Fall Creek Public Library Newsletter

122 East Lincoln Avenue, Fall Creek, WI 54742 715-877-3334 [www.fallcreekpubliclibrary.org](http://www.fallcreekpubliclibrary.org) Spring 2009

## Spring into another Author Series!

### Jerry Poling

Thursday, March 12

Author of "After They Were Packers" and "A Summer Up North: Henry Aaron and the Legend of Eau Claire Baseball"



### Karen Hurd

Thursday, April 16

Nutritionist and author of "And They Said It Wasn't Possible"

### Steve Betchkal

Thursday, May 21

Author of  
"All Of This and Robins Too"



### Fall Creek Public Library Mission Statement

The mission of the Fall Creek Public Library is to serve community residents of all ages by providing materials and services that meet their educational, recreational, and informational needs.

### Hours of Operation

Tuesday: 10am-7pm  
Wednesday: 10am-7pm  
Thursday: 10am-7pm  
Friday: 10am-4pm  
Saturday: 9am-1pm  
Sunday: Closed  
Monday: Closed

### Holiday Hours

The library will be closed April 10 for Good Friday.

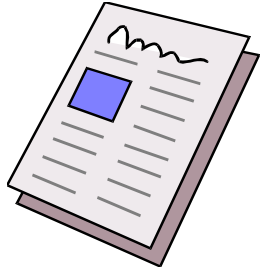
### We're Wireless!

You can now bring your laptop computer into our library and use our wireless Internet access. If you don't have a laptop computer, there are five desktop computers that you can use.

All programs begin at 6:30pm, are free, and include a discussion and book signings

## Where Does It Come From?

The FCPL newsletter in your hands is possible only because of the dedicated energy of many volunteers. A huge thank you goes to Jessica White, our library board member and liaison with the school, who writes, organizes, edits and prints the newsletter. Thanks also to the other volunteers who write articles and fold newsletters: Carol and Duane Cance, Gary and Opal Kunz, Marg Meyers, Karen and Dan Mittag, Harold and Sheri Page, Sandy Peterson, Karl and Phyllis Schwoch, Cora Shafer, Betty Walter and Richard Ziemann. If you would like to help with the newsletter or volunteer in any capacity in the library, give Sue Olson a call!



## Book Discussion Group

The Fall Creek Library Book Discussion Group meets about ten times throughout the year to discuss a variety of books that fit the interests of the members. We welcome any reader to join us in our reading and our discussions. Our group will meet again on **Thursday, March 5** at 6:45. For this meeting we are reading any books by **Kristin Hannah** and focusing on her as an author. A variety of her

books are available for check out in the library. Future dates for our spring book discussions are **April 23** and **May 24**. Call the library for information or stop in to check out a book. Join the Book Discussion Group for an educational and entertaining evening!

## Aluminum Cans for the Library

To help defray costs the Library Board has decided to place a can coral in the west parking lot of the Village Hall. It should be there in a month, so please start saving your aluminum cans. Any contribution on your part can only help improve your library. Please, no tin cans, glass, or plastic. Thank you!

## Cash Donations

Sept. 10 2008 -Feb. 11 2009



In Memory of Marion Drung

Walter Drung

In Memory of Victoria Schanck's  
15th Birthday

The Hageness Family

In Memory of Norman Zich

Richard Ziemann

In Memory of Herbert Rucks

Richard Ziemann

In Honor of Patty Braden

Richard Ziemann

In Memory of Hilda Anderson

Richard Ziemann

In Honor of the Golden Wedding Anniversary of  
Gary and Opal Kunz

Richard Ziemann

Holiday Mitten Tree Adoptions/Donations

The Mittags, The Bradens, Michelle Martin, Sandy Peterson, Kerry Burnside, The Kuehns, The Stone Children (Shannon, Carley, Casey, Dustin)

General Donations

The Friends of the Fall Creek Public Library

THANK YOU for your generous donations!!

## Get Creative@ Your Library...

is the theme of the 2009  
Summer Reading Pro-

gram,  
which takes place in  
July and August.  
Watch for details in  
our summer newslet-  
ter.





## 2008 Statistical Information

- 1,200 new books added
- 227 new DVDs and videos added
- 92 new audio books added
- 41 current magazine subscriptions (up by 5)
- 28,956 items checked out at FCPL (up 7%)
- 8,516 items loaned to other Library patrons
- 7,420 items received through interlibrary loan (up 6%)
- 1,226 registered borrowers (up 7%)
- Over 18,980 FCPL library visits
- Over 2,880 public computer users
- 686 people attended library programs
- 113 children participated in the summer reading program

## BOOK/BAKE SALE

The December Book/Bake Sale was a huge success because of YOU! The Friends of the Fall Creek Public Library earned \$506.75 from the sale of discarded/donated books and the treats baked by our volunteers. Thank you to all the bakers, the book lovers, the workers, and everyone who so generously supported our sale with their purchases. We're already looking ahead to our June Book/Bake Sale the Friday and Saturday of the village thrift sales.

As you do your spring house-cleaning, set aside books that can be donated to our sale. Thank you again for supporting your local library. We appreciate your involvement!



## FCPL Wishlist

- Copy paper (any color, any size)
- Postage stamps
- Craft supplies for Story Time
- Sponsors for Author visits
- Sponsors for Summer Reading Program
- Cleaning supplies
- Double window envelopes
- Adopt-A-Magazine sponsors
- Memory card for Kodak Easy-Share C813 camera
- Oak Bookcase for self-pick-up holds
- 3" x 5" digital photo frame

## Thanks a Bunch!

It is time to acknowledge and thank all the volunteers whom so willingly support the Fall Creek Library. Volunteers are often taken for granted. They, and the services they provide, often are unrecognized, not thanked or unsupported. The library utilizes the time, talents and abilities of our volunteers to better serve our community. The Fall Creek Library board would like to extend our thanks to those volunteers who sacrifice their time to support our Library. The following people gave of their time in 2008: Carol & Duane Cance, Stacy King, Michelle Kuehn Family, Gary & Opal Kunz, Pam Logghe, Marge Meyers, Deb Mischke, Karen Mittag, Dorothy Moen, Harold Page, Sandy Peterson, Kim Ruff, Freda Shong, Betty Walter, and Jessica White. We welcome Cheryl Siikarla, a new volunteer in 2009.



**Yes, I want to become a Friend of the Fall Creek Public Library  
for 2009!**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (daytime) \_\_\_\_\_ (evening) \_\_\_\_\_

Email address \_\_\_\_\_

- \_\_\_ \$5-15 Friend      Please mail or return this form and your donation to:  
\_\_\_ \$16-25 Sponsor                      Friends of the Fall Creek Public Library  
\_\_\_ \$26-35 Advocate                      P.O. Box 426  
\_\_\_ \$36-50 Patron                          Fall Creek, WI 54742-0426  
\_\_\_ Please contact me about volunteer opportunities at the library



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